

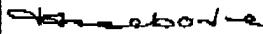
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RADIO NETWORK HAVING COORDINATING CHANNEL ACCESS  
TO SHARED PARALLEL DATA CHANNELS WITH SEPARATE  
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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 27, 2005, concerning the above-identified application and is timely filed within the three month shortened statutory period for a response. Applicant submits the following remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Action and to allow the claims to issue.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.